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Habana—Transmissible Diseases.

The following statement of transmissible diseases in Habana was transmitted by Acting Asst. Surg. Wilson:

Nov. 1 to 10, 1912.

| Diseases. | New cases. | Deaths. | Under treatment. |
|--------------------|------------|---------|------------------|
| Leprosy..... | | 2 | 244 |
| Malaria..... | 1 | | 1 |
| Typhoid fever..... | 22 | 1 | 36 |
| Diphtheria..... | 8 | 1 | 2 |
| Scarlet fever..... | 17 | | 19 |
| Measles..... | 1 | | 2 |
| Varicella..... | | | 1 |
| Paratyphoid..... | 3 | 1 | 3 |
| Staphylococci..... | 1 | | 1 |

NOTE.—The case of malaria reported came from Ciego, Province of Puerto Principe.

GREAT BRITAIN.**Glasgow—Typhus Fever.**

During the week ended November 15, 1912, a case of typhus fever was reported at Glasgow.

ITALY.**Typhus Fever.**

Typhus fever has been reported in Italy as follows: Catania, week ended November 15, 1912, 3 deaths; Palermo, two weeks ended November 9, 11 cases, with 3 deaths.

JAPAN.**Seoul, Chosen (Korea)—Typhus Fever.**

During the period from October 10 to 20, 1912, there were reported at Seoul 2 cases of typhus fever.

JAVA.**Batavia—Typhus Fever.**

During the week ended October 5, 1912, 1 case of typhus fever, with 1 death, was reported at Batavia, and during the week ended October 19, 3 cases, with 2 deaths, were reported.

PORTO RICO.**Plague Situation.**

Passed Asst. Surg. Creel reports:

Rats examined Nov. 9 to 16, 1912.

| Place. | Rats examined. | Rats found infected. |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| All Porto Rico..... | 1,473 | |
| San Juan municipality: | | |
| San Juan..... | 57 | |
| Puerta de Tierra..... | 21 | |
| Santurce..... | 142 | |